Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO				Complete if Known		
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE				Application Number	10/541,713	
				Filing Date	July 8, 2005	
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT			ANT	First Named Inventor	Simon Kaastra	
(Use as many sheets as necessary)				Art Unit	Not yet assigned.	
(Ose as many sneeds as necessary)			•	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned.	
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	3135-051987	

			U.S. PATENT D	OCUMENTS	
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.'	Document Number Number - Kind Code ^{2 (if known)}	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		US- 3,934,643	01/27/1976	LAING	
07		US- 4,803,343	02/07/1989	SOTANI ET AL.	
1		US- 5,850,503	12/15/1998	ONKEN	
0		US			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-		·	
		US-			
		US			
		US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS									
	Cite No.1	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁶			
		Country Code ³ Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)							
8		DE 559 201 C	09/17/1932	SLAWIK					
3		JP 61 162925 A	07/23/1986	MITSUTOSHI					

Examiner
Signature

Considered

Considered

EXAMINER Initial if reference considered whether reference is in the form of the property of the property of the form of the property of the form of the property of the form of the property of t

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not jd conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.